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MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL ON ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

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July 12, 1971

The Council on Academic Affairs held a meeting at 3:00 p. m. in Room 128, Booth Library.

Members present: Mr. J. Connelly, Mr. Kelvin Gilchrist, Mrs. Howell, Mr. Keppler, Mrs. M. Shuff, Mrs. Stoner, Mr. Taber, Mr. R. Weidner, Mr. T. Weidner, Mr. Woodall, and Mr. Moody, ex officio member. Absent: one student representative.

I. Welcome to Visitors.

The chairman welcomed the following visitors: Dr. Manbeck, Dr. Riordan, Dr. Buckellew, Dean Giffin, Dr. Butler, Dr. Robert F. White, Mr. Michael Jeffries, Dean Lowell, and Dr. DiPietro.

II. Minutes of June 28.

The minutes were approved as published.

III. Communications.

1. From Dean Taber - List of waivers granted and denied during the month of June - July 1.
2. From Department of English - Comments concerning Agenda Item 71-23 (reduction of general education requirements) - July 1.
3. From Dr. Steele - Concerning Natural Sciences-Math. section of Agenda Item 71-23 - July 12.
4. From Dr. Buckellew - Concerning study of P. E. requirements in Illinois universities and colleges, and copy of resolution from American Medical Association (Agenda Item 71-23) - July 1.

IV. Clarification of Effective Date for Reduction in General Education Requirements - (Agenda Item 71-23).

Dr. Moody stated that the effective date for any part of the proposed general education requirements should be only after a final decision on the entire proposal. Therefore, current action on a single part of the general education proposal does not result in a current change.

V. Plan for Reducing Gen. Edu. Requirements (Sec. IV - Natural Sciences-Mathematics) - (Agenda Item 71-23).

Mr. Connelly moved and Mr. R. Weidner seconded the motion to modify the proposal by requiring mathematics of all students and

adding 4 q.hrs. to the natural sciences requirement for the B. S.
The motion carried unanimously.

This action approved the following Natural Sciences-Mathematics
section of the General Education Requirements:

	BA	BS	PROFESSIONAL
Mathematics	4 q.hrs.	4 q.hrs.	4 q.hrs.
Nat. Sciences (Bot., Chem., Geol., Life Sci., Physics, Zoo.)	8 q.hrs. in one or more nat. sci. subjects	16 q.hrs. to include study in both Life Sci. & Physical Sci.	12 q.hrs. in one or more nat. sci. subjects

Note: Students would be excused from the mathematics requirement
who had satisfactorily completed four years of college preparatory
mathematics or who score at the 90th percentile on the ACT math.
test plus a satisfactory score on the EIU math. placement test.

VI. Plan for Reducing Gen. Edu. Requirements (Sec. V - Health and Phys.
Edu.) - (Agenda Item 71-23).

Dean Lowell, Drs. Riordan and Buckellew spoke concerning this
section of the proposal.

Mr. Connelly moved and Mrs. Stoner seconded the motion to approve
the proposal with a modification concerning transfer students. The
motion passed with the following votes:

Yes - Connelly, Gilchrist, Howell, Keppler, Shuff, Stoner, Taber,
R. Weidner, T. Weidner
No - Woodall

This action approved the following Health and Physical Education
section of the General Education Requirements:

	BA	BS	PROFESSIONAL
Health and Phys. Edu.	Health Edu. 120 4 q.hrs. P. E. serv- ice courses	Health Edu. 120 4 q.hrs. P. E. serv- ice courses	Health Edu. 120 4 q.hrs. P.E. serv- ice courses

Note: All students meeting graduation requirements for a baccalau-
reate degree at EIU must have passed four qtr.hrs. of P. E. service
course work. (This means that both transfer and native students
must meet this requirement for graduation

Note: Students would be allowed a maximum of eight quarter hours toward graduation for P. E. service courses.

The meeting adjourned at 5:00 p. m.

Mary McElwee
Recording Secretary

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF MEETING
Room 128, Booth Library
July 19, 1971 - 3:00 p. m.

Agenda:

- 71-23. Plan for reducing gen. edu. requirements (Sec. I-Basic Skills; Sec. II-Humanities)
- 71-26. New course, Edu. 334, Meth., Materials & Cur. for the Second. EMH Student; renumbering Edu. 495 to 330, and 497 to 335.
- 71-27. Clarification of statement in catalog under "Humanities"; modification of Opt. I & II in B. Mus.
- 71-28. Request to modify requirements for major in French, German, Spanish, for the BA with secondary teacher certification.